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8 BEFORE THE FAIR POLITICAL PRACTICES COMMISSION
9 STATE OF CALIFORNIA
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12 In the Matter of)	FPPC No. 10/798
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14 GREGORY FOX,)	STIPULATION, DECISION and
)	ORDER
15 Respondent.)	
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18 Complainant, the Fair Political Practices Commission, and Respondent Gregory Fox agree that
19 this Stipulation will be submitted for consideration by the Fair Political Practices Commission at its next
20 regularly scheduled meeting.

21 The parties agree to enter into this Stipulation to resolve all factual and legal issues raised in this
22 matter and to reach a final disposition without the necessity of holding an administrative hearing to
23 determine the liability of Respondent, pursuant to Section 83116 of the Government Code.

24 Respondent understands, and hereby knowingly and voluntarily waives, any and all procedural
25 rights set forth in Sections 83115.5, 11503 and 11523 of the Government Code, and in Sections 18361.1
26 through 18361.9 of Title 2 of the California Code of Regulations. This includes, but is not limited to,
27 the right to personally appear at any administrative hearing held in this matter, to be represented by an
28 attorney at Respondent's own expense, to confront and cross-examine all witnesses testifying at the

1 hearing, to subpoena witnesses to testify at the hearing, to have an impartial administrative law judge
2 preside over the hearing as an hearing officer, and to have the matter judicially reviewed.

3 It is further stipulated and agreed that Respondent Gregory Fox violated the Political Reform Act
4 1) by failing to disclose all required information on his 2006, 2007, and 2008 Annual Statements of
5 Economic Interests, in violation of Sections 84300 and 84302 of the Government Code (3 counts); 2) by
6 failing to timely disclose all required information on his 2009 Annual Statement of Economic Interests,
7 in violation of Sections 84300 and 84302 of the Government Code (1 count); and 3) by impermissibly
8 participating in and making governmental decisions in which he had a financial interest, in violation of
9 Section 87100 of the Government Code (3 counts). All counts are described in Exhibit 1, which is
10 attached hereto and incorporated by reference as though fully set forth herein. Exhibit 1 is a true and
11 accurate summary of the facts in this matter.

12 Respondent agrees to the issuance of the Decision and Order, which is attached hereto.
13 Respondent also agrees to the Commission imposing upon him an administrative penalty in the amount
14 of Thirteen Thousand Dollars (\$13,000). A cashier's check from Respondent in said amount, made
15 payable to the "General Fund of the State of California," is submitted with this Stipulation as full
16 payment of the administrative penalty, to be held by the State of California until the Commission issues
17 its decision and order regarding this matter. The parties agree that in the event the Commission refuses
18 to accept this Stipulation, it shall become null and void, and within fifteen (15) business days after the
19 Commission meeting at which the Stipulation is rejected, all payments tendered by Respondent in
20 connection with this Stipulation shall be reimbursed to Respondent. Respondent further stipulates and
21 agrees that in the event the Commission rejects the Stipulation, and a full evidentiary hearing before the
22 Commission becomes necessary, neither any member of the Commission, nor the Executive Director,
23 shall be disqualified because of prior consideration of this Stipulation.

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2 Gary S. Winuk, Enforcement Chief,
3 on behalf of the
4 Fair Political Practices Commission

5 Dated: _____

6 Gregory Fox, Respondent
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IT IS SO ORDERED.

Ann Ravel, Chair
Fair Political Practices Commission